(b) what are the reasons that the concerned producers were not issued show cause notice for marketing these products without price approval;

(c) what were their prices under DPCO, 1979 and what are their present prices; and

(d) what is their sales turnover based on the latest available ORG?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) to (c) The required details to the extent available would be collected and laid on the Table of the House.

(d) Sales turnover is not monitored.

Sales turn over of Formulations

3004. SHRI RAOOF VALIULLAH: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 3280 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 22nd August, 1988 and state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Serial numbers 12 and 13 of Form-2 Serial Number 4(f) of Form-4 and Serial Number 5 of Form-6 contain details of number of packs sold and sales turn over of both scheduled and non-scheduled formulations;

(b) whether it is also a fact that his Ministry is obtaining these forms;

(c) if so, what are the reasons for not providing the details asked for sales turnover when the same are available;

(d) what are the details of sales turn over of Dilosyn, Banadryl, Evion, Berin, Celin, Glynase, Durabolin, Decadurabolin, Ildaman, Duadilan and Neosporin;

(e) how many of these products are exempted from price control and what are the basis of exemption;

(f) whether it is a fact that his Ministry received number of representations for inclusion of these products due to non-fulfilment of exclusion criteria; and

(g) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) to (d) Under the provisions of DPCO, 1987, manufacturers are required to submit such information. However, sales turnover is not monitored.

(e) All the referred formulations are price decontrolled as per the provisions of DPCO, 1987.

(f) and (g) All representations received in this regard were forwarded to Kelkar Committee and the Supplementary report submitted by the committee is under examination.

Production and import of Dexamethasone

3005. DR. G. VIJAYA MOHAN REDDY: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the stage from which Dexamethasone and its salts are being manufactured in the country;

(b) since when these are being produced;

(c) what is the import content in the production of each Kg. of Dexamethasone;

(d) what was the price fixed for Dexamethasone and ite salts under DPCO, 1979 and what is the present price;

(e) what was the price at which the same were sold by the producers under DPCO, 1979;

(f) whether it is a fact that Dexamethasone and its salts are allowed for import;

(g) if so, the quantity imported during the last three years, year-wise along with CIF price per gram per year;

(h) whether his Ministry fixed prices of formulations based on these drugs;

(i) if so, when the price was fixed for each formulation; and

(j) what is the price at which each is being sold at present?